# FATHER ILL, CHILDREN



William Scanlan, Unable to Wcrk, Asks The Evening World to Save His Little Ones.

Though the Yuletide is at hand seemed a far cry to a "Merry Christ-mas" to William Scanlan and his brood of four motherless little ones when he wrote the following letter to The Even-

NEW YORK, Dec. 13, 1900. To the Editor of The Evening World: Having seen in the columns of your good paper where you sometimes help the poor and distressed, I beg of you to listen to the appeal of a poor unfortunate family in

children. Their mother is dend. I am sick after having an attack of paeumonia. I have been out of

place to go to.

Every little article we had has been pawned and sold to get something to ent. I have always made a living by

repairing clocks and doing other odd jobs until I got sick and could not travel around. nearest the stove were William Scanlan and his four children-Florence, aged hif-Our future looks very dark. If

you will please try to get us some | teen; William, fourteen; Clara, eleven, kind of work through your good paper I shall be very thankful to you. Very truly yours,

WILLIAM SCANLAN. 1593 Second avenue. Bet, 97th and 98th streets.

EXPOSED BOY

THREW AWAY

Clara and Harry

Huddied about the table on the sid

# HIS CRUTCHES

CARD IN A BOTTLE.

Baumert, cast overboard in a bottle from the steamship Lahn on May 11

last, has been picked up and

of ex-Alderman William A.

Four Hospitals Refuse Boy Said to Be Miracu- Son Says Mrs. Martha Italian Marched Her to Hoisting Works Destroy-Him and Father Left lously Healed at Brook-Him Outdoors. lyn Church.

After valuely applying to four hospitals to admit his ten months old sick calld Henry Segol, a Harlem newsdealer, wrapped the little one up in blankets Many Segol, a Harlem newedcaler, wrapped the little one up in blankers day a boy was carried in his hands a nal left it in a vacant lot in hopes that it would be found by the police and taken to a place of shelter where it would receive proper medical treatment. Segol is very poor. He lived with his wife and child in a basement at 10 West. One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street. He has only been six months in America. The little boy, isaac, had been in for some time and the father had no money with which to buy medicine. He decided therefore to get his child placed in one of the city hospitals. As he did not know where they were located, not know where they were located, not know where they were located, he had medical assistance was unavailing. Finally a steel brace was put on his fourth street.

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Mrs. Merck and Segoi went to the Ma-rnity Hospital with the child, but add Segol to the Children's Hospital, fflicth street. There the authorities d not admit the boy and the father sent to the Williard Parker Hos-

Then his parents had recourse to prayer and sought the shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes, which is a replica of the famous shrine of that place in France. Days of prayer brought no improvement until Mgr. Eugene Porelle, rector of the church, suggested bathing the limb in the water of Lourdes brought from the spring in France where the Virgin Mother of Christ is said to have appeared to Bernadotte, the Holy Shepherdess. This was done on Dec. 6, and the day following, the eve of the feast of the Immaeulate Conception, it was repeated. The boy said he felt better. On the feast day his brace was removed and he walked with only a slight limp. He has since gone about without the aid of either crutches or brace. brace.
Yesterday he carried the crutches an brace to attest his cure, and those wh followed in procession to the shrine t give thanks were fervent in their helie that their eyes had beheld a miracle.

got was before Magnatrate Brann in Harlem Police Court this morning, told the following story: He left the ct car at One Hundred and Saxteenth et, thinking it was One Hundred and oty-fifth sireet. He walked as far one Hundred and Eighteenth street, he sat down to adjust a blanker in his child. Two boys saw him, and reed to a policeman, who arrested Segot dented any intention of decays his child, and Gerry Society it Poore asked that Segot be discussed.





Mother Dead and Family of Five Are in Abject Poverty-Everything Has Been Pawned.

sither children.
"William has done any job he could tributed and to buy bread for us.
"For three weeks we have had nothing but bread and tea at any mealmost of the time without rugar or

Didn't Like to Beg.

Didn't Like to Reg.

"Why did I not ask some one for heip? Well, you see, we well did not like to do that. We were never had to beg, and I have no relatives or friends. They offered me work in the cracked stove gave out just chough heat to emphasize the icy blasts that beat in from the windows of the rear room, and the flickering lamp barely illumined the darkness.

On the table were two cracked cups, containing a weak solution of tea; one plate and half a biscuit. The Scanian family were eating their regular supper the only supper and dinner and breakfast they have known for three weeks fast they have known for three weeks past!

Aid from Evening World.

The Evening World's crisp new \$10 till seemed a more fitting expression of sympathy than any words, and it was brust in his hand. He looked at it thrust in his hand. He looked at it with staring eyes.

"God bless The Evening World," he said, and burst into tears.

Scanlan can do no work for some time. He must first have food and proper medicine and nursing without the dread of want. He must have an overcoat and a sult of warm clothing. and Harry, eight.

The children were as clean as the rooms, and almost as pitifully bare. Each face had been scrubbed till it shone and their clothing was as neat as the patching would permit.

But such clothing! At best only fit for Summer wear and in view of the zero weather ridiculously inadequate. A single frock was the wardrobe of each of the girls and jacket and trousers for the boys.

tion of "fittle Mother" Florence, when she bade The Evening World reporter good night at the door: "God bless you, sir, for papa's sake!"

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A What the Reporter Found:

The bare rooms on the top floor, recu, of 183 Second avenue, containing in the way of furniture two chairs, one table, a kitchen stove, a bed with one blanket, a cot with a thin coveriet, and lamp and an alarm clock. That was absolutely all.

The rooms were scrimulated in the little ones in Sore Need.

All the Uses in Sore Need.

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the River at Point of Revolver.

with the strangery armest man passes on without interruption. They have ached Pleasant avenue before the were noticed. People rushed from their homes here to witness the strange sight. The man was driving the woman across Jefferson Park when some one darte back to Third avenue in search of policeman. Officer Pretorius was feun and he hurried to the scene, arriving a the man and woman had almost reache the river bank. Rofie was in ugly mochout the policeman's drawn revolver subdued him. The woman shrieked hysterically and ran to her home.

When arraigned before Magistra Brann, in the Hariem Court to-da. Rofie said that he had tried to force hwife to commit suicide because si would not move to another house. The Magistrate held him in 11,500 bail for the Grand Jury.

At the Presbyterian Hospital to-day ieut. Hobson was said to be very much approved and his condition such as to arrest hoge or his ultimate recovery. Palmer M. Wood, cashler of the Gen

ed and Government Contracts Delayed.

FROZEN IN A BOAT.

Pier at Coney Island.

Edward Kaldbach, forty years old, o

plance was summoned from the Kings

company are in ashes, and property esti-mated to be worth over \$600,000 entirely consumed.

Also the following high-grade planos: MAYERS, \$150.00 cash;

HARMONY, \$150.00 cash; largest concern of the kind in the world, has many contracts with the Govern-ment for hoisting apparatus to be erect-

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body and worked for half an hour try- DIAMUNDS, Watches and Jeselry on weeking to restore respiration. An am-WALTHAM WATCHES, diamends, jewelry, The police believe the man was out dishing and was overcome by the cold.

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Is Being Shadowed. ATLANTA, Dec. 17.—Rev. Len G. Broughton, the noted evangelist, who is conducting a campaign against vice here, has accused the Police Commis-

nere, has accused the Police Commissioners of shadowing his house to learn who his guests are.

The police admit that two detectives had been assigned to special duty in the neighborhood of the minister's residence, but deny that he is being shadowed. To-morrow, Rev. Mr. Broughton will present to the police a list of disorderly resorts in this city, evidence against which he sectred himself.

Rofte said that he his tried to commit suicide because she will be commit suicide because she would not move to mother house. The Magistrate held him in \$1,500 bail for the Grand Jury.

P. M. WOOD CRITICALLY ILL.

Strickes with Paralysis.

FIGHT FOR CARE OF RICH WOMAN

Barlow Is Being

In the monthly pligrimage to the grotto of the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, Brooklyn, there walked yester, a patient in the Amityville Home, L. I. pair of crutches and a steel brace, which the doctors of the Vanderbyt Cliffic said he would be forced to use until his sigh.

Mrs. Martha A. Barlow, a rich woman. A new way to be rid of an old wife was invented last might by Marsie Roffe, and Conveying Works at Case and Hamilton streets, were lestroyed by fire to-day. Five out of seven buildings used by the company are in ashes, and property exitation.

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Mrs. Barlow the attention she required.

Van Wyck said Lockwood's age pre-cluded him from rendering satisfactory service and that Mrs. Barlow's condi-tion was such that she would have bet-ter care at home.

Justice Maddox continued the case until Wednerday, when Mr. Van Wyck will have Mrs. Barlow in court.

MINISTER ACCUSES POLICE.

Vice Crusader in Atlanta Says He